

# sycomore sélection crédit

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# Share ID

Isin code | FR0011288505

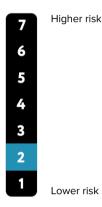
NAV | 104.1€

Assets | 832.6 M€

# SFDR 8

Sustainable Investments			
% AUM:	≥ 50%		
% Companies*:	≥ 50%		
*Excluding derivatives, cash & equivalent			

## **Risk indicator**



The risk indicator assumes you keep the product for 5 years. **Warning :** the actual risk can vary significantly if you cash in at an early stage and you may get back less.

The fund does not offer any guarantee of return or performance and presents a risk of capital loss

# Investment Team



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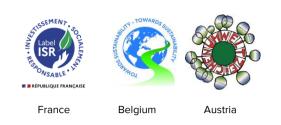


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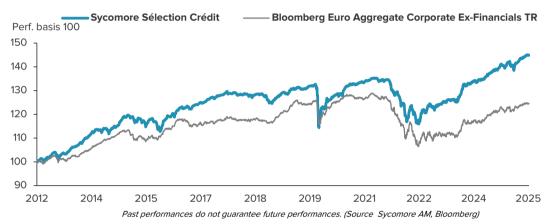


## Investment strategy

## A responsible and opportunistic selection of European bonds based on proprietary ESG analysis

Sycomore Sélection Crédit aims to deliver financial returns above those of the Bloomberg Euro Aggregate Corporate Ex-Financials TR over a minimum investment horizon of five years, within a modified duration range of 0 to +5, by applying a socially responsible investment process. The fund also aims to outperform its benchmark on the Net Environmental Contribution (NEC) indicator and on the 3-year headcount variation indicator, to select durable companies, particularly on environmental and/or contribution to employment criteria.

## Performance as of 29.08.2025



	Aug	2025	1 year	3 yrs	5 yrs	Inc.	Annu.	2024	2023	2022	2021
Fund %	0.1	3.1	5.4	20.0	13.1	44.9	3.0	5.9	10.0	-10.4	1.9
Index %	0.0	2.0	4.0	11.9	-0.2	24.6	1.7	4.0	7.9	-13.9	-1.2

Statistics										
	Corr.	Beta	Alpha	Vol.	Bench.	Track.	Sharpe	Info	Draw	Bench.
					Vol	Error	Ratio	Ratio	Down	DD
3 years	0.6	0.4	4.8%	2.9%	4.3%	3.6%	1.1	0.7	-14.3%	-17.5%
Inception	0.5	0.5	2.1%	2.8%	3.3%	3.0%	0.9	0.4	-14.3%	-17.5%

## Fund commentary

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The Jackson Hole speech saw Jerome Powell deliver a message pointing in the direction of a likely rate cut for the next meeting, while the Federal Reserve is under significant pressure from Donald Trump. Credit spreads remained at low levels, against a backdrop of strong investor demand for the asset class, in both Investment Grade and High Yield. Conversely, political uncertainty in France against a backdrop of deteriorating public finances caused sovereign spreads to widen again. Against this backdrop, we trimmed some positions with less attractive yields than at the start of the year, with a view to a return to primary transactions in the first few weeks of September. Earnings releases for the first half of the year are ongoing, and at this stage the issuers in the portfolio have delivered consistently. The fund's duration remained stable.

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32%

20%

11%

10%

7%

4%

4%

3%

2%

2%

1%

1%

1%

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## **Fund Information Inception date** 01/09/2012

**ISIN codes** 

Share I - FR0011288489 Share ID - FR0011288505 Share R - FR0011288513

### **Bloomberg tickers**

Share I - SYCSCRI FP Share ID - SYCSCRD FP Share R - SYCSCRR FP

### Benchmark

Bloomberg Euro Aggregate Corporate Ex-Financials TR

Legal form Mutual fund

Domiciliation France

**PEA** eligibility No

**Investment period** 5 yrs

Minimum investment None

**UCITS V** Yes

Valuation Daily

Currency EUR

Cut-Off 12pm CET Paris (BPSS)

**Cash Settlement** D+3

# Admin and management fees

Share I - 0.60% Share ID - 0.60% Share R - 1.20%

**Performance fees** 10% > Benchmark

**Transaction fees** None

Portfolio		Valuation	
Exposure rate	95%	Modified Duration	3.8
Number of bonds	212	Yield to maturity	4.7%
Number of issuers	154	Yield to worst	3.7%
		Average maturity	4.9 years

Country breakdown

France

Germany

Sweden

Belgium

Denmark

Finland

Ireland

Japan

Portugal

Norway

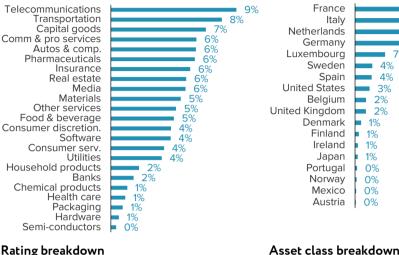
Mexico

Austria

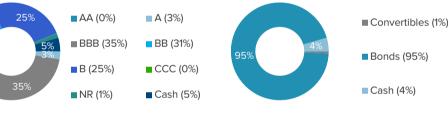
Spain

Italy

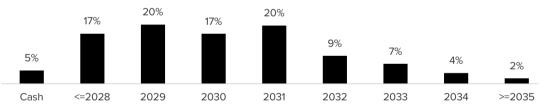
## Sector breakdown



# **Rating breakdown**



# Maturity breakdown



SPICE, for Society & Suppliers, People, Investors, Clients, Environment is our tool for assessing a company's performance economic, governance, environmental, social, and societal risks and opportunities covering both the company's daily operations and its product and service offer.

The analysis process covers 90 criteria and leads to a rating per

letter. These 5 ratings are weighted based on the company's

Fund Index SPICE 3.3/53.4/53.4/5 S score P score 34/534/53.3/5 I score C score 3.2/53.3/5 3.2/5 E score

Main issuers	Weight	Sector	SPICE rating	Sustainable theme
Infopro	1.9%	Media	3.4/5	Digital and communication
Autostrade Per L Italia	1.8%	Transportation	3.3/5	Access and Inclusion
Picard	1.7%	Food & Beverage	3.3/5	Nutrition and well-being
Loxam	1.7%	Comm & pro services	3.7/5	SPICE Leadership
Altarea	1.6%	Real Estate	3.4/5	Health & Safety

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# Sustainability thematics



# Digital and communication

- SPICE transformation
  Health & Safety
- Access and Inclusion
- Energy transition
- Nutrition and well-being
- Sustainable mgmt of resources
- SPICE Leadership

# ESG criteria

ESG eligibility (% of eligible bonds) 22%

## **ESG** scores

	Fund	Index
ESG*	3.3/5	3.2/5
Environment	3.3/5	3.2/5
Social	3.2/5	3.5/5
Governance	3.2/5	3.5/5

# **ESG best scores**

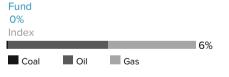
	ESG	E	S	G
Kpn	3.8/5	3.9/5	3.8/5	4.0/5
Unibail	3.7/5	3.7/5	3.6/5	3.8/5
Veolia	3.9/5	4.2/5	3.8/5	3.7/5
Getlink	4.0/5	4.2/5	3.9/5	4.3/5
Cellnex	3.8/5	4.3/5	3.9/5	3.5/5

# **Environmental analysis**

# Net Environmental Contribution (NEC)<sup>⇒</sup> Degree of alignment of economic activities with the ecological transition, integrating biodiversity, climate and resources, on a standard scale from -100% for total misalignment to +100% for complete alignment, where 0% corresponds to the world economy average. The results are calculated by Sycomore AM or by the (nec-initiative.org) based on data for the years 2022 to 2024 according to NEC 1.0 or 1.1. *Coverage rate : fund 98% / index 81%* +6% Fund -100% 0% +100%

## Fossil fuel exposure

Share of revenues from activities linked to fossil fuels from upstream to energy production, supplied by S&P Global.



## Carbon intensity of sales \*\*

Weighted average of annual greenhouse gas emissions (GHG Protocol) from scopes 1, 2, 3 upstream and downstream as modelled by MSCI per annual sales in k $\in$ .

*Coverage rate : fund 43% / index 89%* 

	Fund	Index
kg. eq. CO ₂ /k€	686	992

## European taxonomy

Share of EU taxonomy-aligned company revenues provided by MSCI. *Coverage rate : fund 65% / index 94%* Fund

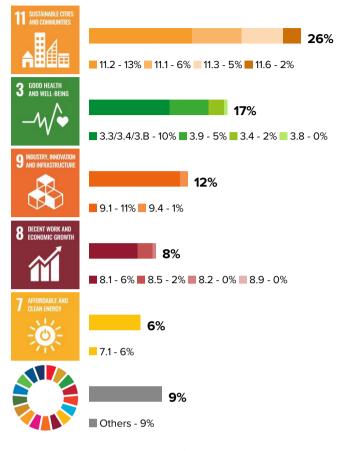
	8%
Index	
	10%

Sources: portfolio companies, Sycomore AM, Bloomberg, Science Based Targets, Iceberg Data Lab, MSCI, Moody's, MSCI and S&P Global. Methodologies differ between issuers and between extra-financial data providers.\*ESG-SPICE correspondence: E=E, S=(P+S+C)/3, G is a sub-part of I, which represents 40%.\*\*The fund has committed to outperforming the benchmark on these two indicators. The other indicators are shown for illustrative purposes. All indicators mentioned are calculated on the invested portion of the fund (excluding cash, derivatives, and UCITS).

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# Sustainable development goals exposure



# ESG follow-up, news and dialogue

## **Dialogue and engagement**

#### Scor

We asked Scor about its diversity and inclusion policy. The group has not considered excluding DEI targets for US employees serving in management roles. Scor has set DE&I targets as part of the remuneration package applicable to the CEO and to the executive committee. Scor also emphasised the efforts made to encourage more women to join the Boards of Directors of its subsidiaries. The company still has room for progress on issues of transparency.

## **ESG** controversies

## Stellantis

A judge has approved a class action lawsuit against 13 car manufacturers on account of presumed design faults in the remote keyless and on-board diagnostics systems that may have facilitated vehicle thefts.

This chart represents the main exposures to the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals and their 169 targets. Exposure is defined as the opportunity, for each company, to contribute positively to reaching SDGs, providing their products and services. This exercise doesn't aim to measure the companies effective contribution to SDGs, which is computed through our societal contribution (CS) and net environnemental contribution (NEC) metrics. For each invested company, activities are analysed in order to identify those which are exposed to SDGs. For a same activity, its number of targets can vary between 0 and 2. The company target exposure to one of its activities is weighted by the revenue share gained from this activity. For more details, our annual SRI report is available in our ESG documentation.

### No significant exposure : 28%

### Orange

Legal action was brought against Orange for alleged forced inactivity, professional discrimination and emotional distress caused to a female employee.

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